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**MESSAGE:** Attached is an Amendment Transmittal Letter (in duplicate) and  
Amendment in response to Office Action dated June 2, 2004.

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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
RTS-0200

**In Re Application Of: Gaarde and Watt**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/006,911	November 8, 2001	James Schultz	32862	1635	1396

Invention: ANTISENSE MODULATION OF HUMAN COLLAPSIN RESPONSE MEDIATOR PROTEIN 2 EXPRESSION

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of June 2, 2004 in the above-identified application.

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INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	3 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$110.00
<b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b>					<b>\$110.00</b>

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  - Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
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